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**Yawn. 'It's Saturday Night'**
At age 20, maybe it's time to retire the geriatric *Saturday Night Live*, says one critic.
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**Arden following**
GeVa enters Shakespeare's Forest of Arden in *As You Like It.*
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GAMES

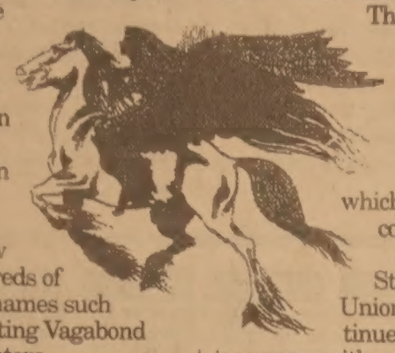
## *Save the world! Smite that foe! (In other words, let the fun begin)*

By LISA GUTIERREZ
STAFF WRITER

Oh, no. The Nazis are threatening Paris!

What's a gamer to do?

What might sound like history to some will take place again this weekend on the campus of the Rochester Institute of Technology in Henrietta.



There, more than 700 gamers are expected to spend today and tomorrow competing in hundreds of games with exotic names such as Tales of the Floating Vagabond and Cosmic Encounters.

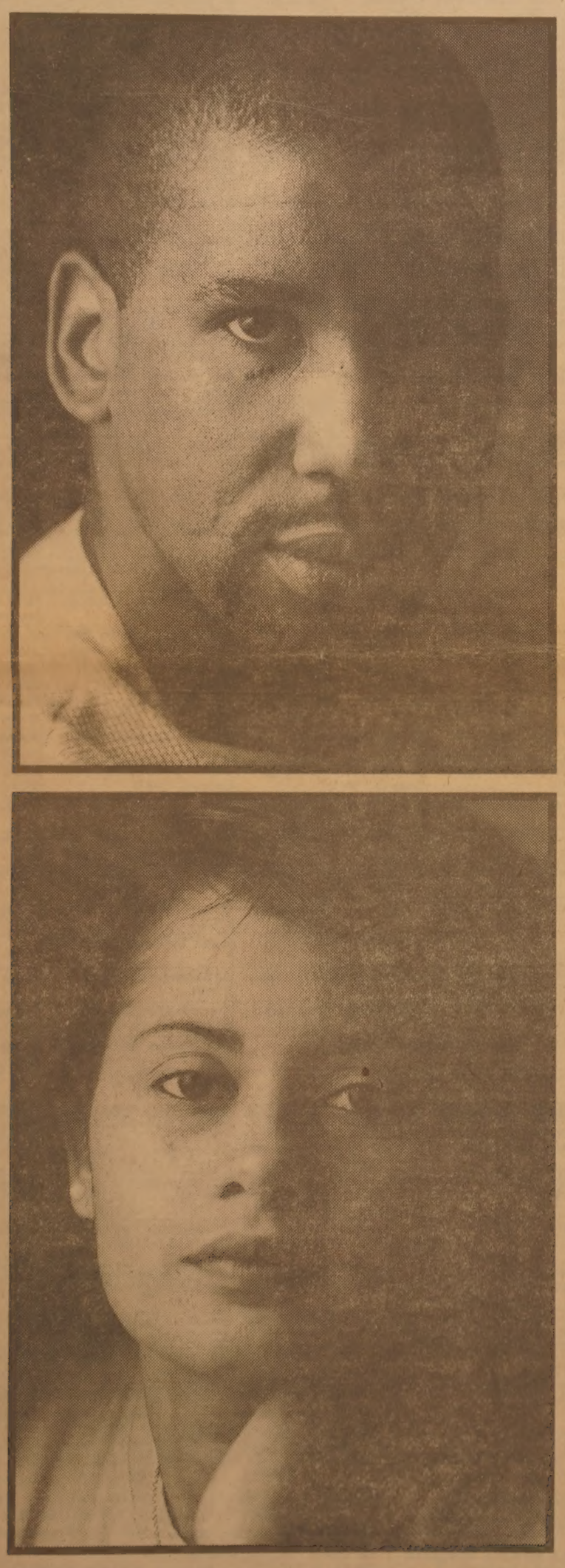
Some of them are board games. Others involve role-playing. There's even a simulated barroom brawl in which no physical contact is made.

Don't be discouraged if all of this sounds foreign to you. Organizers of the convention, called Rubicon 10, encourage newcomers.

"We love to see new faces," says Jennifer Greenwald, an RIT graduate student and member of the convention's sponsor, the Rochester's Wargamer's Association and Guild. The guild is an RIT student organization with about 100 members.

The re-creation of the German invasion of France is part of one of the hottest games going: World in Flames. The convention, which started yesterday, continues today at 8 a.m. in the RIT Student Alumni Union. The games continue through 5 p.m. tomorrow, with an all-night gaming session tonight.

The participation fee for the weekend is $8 for students, $10 for non-students. If you just want to watch, or buy games and other gaming paraphernalia from local vendors who'll be there, the cost is $3 today and $1 tomorrow. ❑



ICE Inc.

**Messengers** *Four Rochester-area people modeled for posters publicizing the Community Health Network's HIV testing campaign. Clockwise from top left: Michael Lee, Jeffrey Kost, LaSharon Haskins and Rachel Santiago.*

HEALTH

## *Positive thinking*

### Poster campaign encourages AIDS testing

By DIANA LOUISE CARTER
STAFF WRITER

POSTER EXHIBIT AT UR 6C

They're looking right at you.

Four faces in varying shades of black and white dare you to make eye contact.

"Be *Positive* You Are *Negative*," the posters say. There are 4,000 of them up around town this month, staring down and urging people to take advantage of free, confidential AIDS testing available from Community Health Network through Friday. Radio and television spots — featuring four other faces as well as these — also have aired.

The campaign has been successful, expanding on last year's one-week program aimed at teens. The difference this year is that testing is available longer and the posters feature real people instead of just colorful graphics. Also, the target audience is older and broader; the models are black, white and Hispanic adults.

The Finger Lakes Health Systems Agency estimates that 3,000 people in the Rochester area have the AIDS virus, but don't know it and aren't getting the treatment they need.

"That's the problem, and one of the solutions is free HIV testing," says Dr. William Valenti, founder of Community Health Network.

Another 2,000 people with the AIDS virus are being treated in the Rochester area.

"Too often, we see people in intensive care with life-threatening, AIDS-related illnesses who

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### How to get tested

Community Health Network's free, confidential HIV testing continues through Friday at organization's offices, 758 South Ave., and at three locations being visited by the Health Outreach Project Van:

- Corpus Christi Neighborhood Outreach Center, 142 Webster Ave.
- Puerto Rican Youth Development and Resource Center, 997 N. Clinton Ave.
- Mary Magdalene House Women's Outreach Center, 206 Lyell Ave.

The tests take about an hour and include counseling on HIV protection. Follow-up visits will be scheduled to discuss the results.

For information or to make an appointment, call CHN at (716) 244-9000.

If appointments for free testing through CHN are no longer available, contact the state's anonymous testing clinic at (716) 423-8081 to make an appointment.

CHN recommends testing if:

- You have engaged in gay or straight sex without a condom and outside monogamy.
- You have had unprotected sex with a prostitute.
- You have injected illegal drugs.
- You are a woman whose sexual partner has used injected drugs.
- You received a blood transfusion before 1986 and haven't been tested yet.
- You have been exposed to blood or other body fluids of a person with the AIDS virus. ❑

— DIANA LOUISE CARTER

## *No role was too big — or small — for Burt Lancaster*

By JACK GARNER
STAFF FILM CRITIC

TRIBUTE

Burt Lancaster, who died yesterday at 80, was a big man who gave big performances.

One of the most distinctive and recognizable of actors since his debut in *The Killers*, in 1946, Lancaster contributed a long series of popular, robust portrayals from Wyatt Earp in *Gunfight at the O.K. Corral* to the Army sergeant who takes a memorable roll in the surf with Deborah Kerr in *From Here to Eternity*.

Few actors have matched Lancaster's athleticism on the screen. He began his career playing a boxer and later worked without a net in *Trapeze*, re-creating one of the jobs he had had in real life before turning to films.

But in roles that were less physical — such as the sensual truck driver in *The Rose Tattoo* or the killer-turned-ornithologist in *Birdman of Alcatraz* — Lancaster's broad shoulders and graceful, fluid movement were pluses.

Lancaster seemed larger than life. His acting style favored broad hand gestures and body language, matched by staccato bursts of carefully enunciated dialogue.

But Lancaster's lionlike physical quality accented, by contrast, his equally impressive intelligence, surprising gentleness and even vulnerability.

He had, in other words, immense charm and charisma, two elements that made him the ideal actor of his generation to portray Sinclair Lewis' evangelical con-artist in *Elmer Gantry*.

The role led to a much-deserved Oscar in 1960.

The depth and range of Lancaster's talent became even more noticeable after his physical gifts faded. In the wonderful Indian summer of his career, Lancaster turned in his most complex and rewarding performance in *Atlantic City* in 1981.

Playing an aging, small-time hood in the town that stands for crapshoot, Lancaster demonstrated the pain and regret of unrealized dreams and then the surprise and joy of finally becoming a winner.

Of Lancaster's many memorable moments, my favorites are these two from *Atlantic City*: The old man staring through Venetian blinds at the youth and beauty of the unattainable Susan Sarandon, and the same man rubbing his hands with glee, like a child, when he realizes he's not the loser he always thought he was. Throughout his career, Burt Lancaster was first, and always, a winner. ❑

File photo

**Bittersweet** *Burt Lancaster turned in one of his best performances when he teamed up with Susan Sarandon in 1981 for* Atlantic City.

# 'Saturday Night Live' becomes 'Saturday Night Drowsy'

By JOHN J. O'CONNOR
THE NEW YORK TIMES

TV

Like some aging life of the party who can no longer depend on nips and tucks to maintain the illusion of youth, *Saturday Night Live* is discovering the futility of makeovers.

Celebrating its 20th anniversary this season, this NBC show (11:30 p.m. Saturdays on WHEC-TV, Channel 10) has been in some sort of turmoil since almost the beginning. But back then it was largely a matter of creativity bursting at the seams. These days it's more a pedestrian question of survival, of trying to at least simulate some of that early exuberance. It's not happening.

Reasons are not hard to come by. Veteran staff members are now in their 40s and not always in tune with their younger writers. The performers are interested less in a long run on the show than in snagging a lucrative movie or sitcom deal elsewhere.

The show's longtime producer, James Downey, says he sadly detects "a more measured kind of involvement." That extends even to Lorne Michaels, the executive producer, who left the show from 1980 to 1985 and who now copes with a schedule that includes feature films and *Late Night With Conan O'Brien*.

But there's another, more intractable problem. The *Saturday Night Live* formula is tired. This is not a laid-back talk show overseen by a genial host from one commercial break to another. *Saturday Night* is a combination of repertory comedy performers and, with its weekly big-name guests, variety show. Yet its format is as rigid and familiar as any talk show's.

There's the opening skit and the shouted introduction of "It's Saturday night!"; the guest host's monologue; the comedy sketches incorporating the guest host; the latest installment of established comedy sketches like "Weekend Update"; the appearances, usually two to a show, of the guest musical star (so far this season: Eric Clapton, Seal and Bonnie Raitt), the parody commercials and the commercial breaks with a glimpse of G.E. Smith and the Saturday Night Live Band.

A plug for the hotel that puts up guests and a final ensemble shot of the performers hugging and gamely congratulating one another, and it's on to preparing more of the same for the next week.

After a couple of decades of this, signs of exhaustion are hardly surprising. Exceptional performers can, of course, infuse the formula with renewed energy, but stars of the caliber of Dan Aykroyd, John Belushi, Gilda Radner, Bill Murray and Eddie Murphy are not in plentiful supply.

The current crop of regulars on *Saturday Night* can be quite good, but at the moment there doesn't appear to be a major breakout performer in the lot.

Some of the old shticks still work. The "Daily Affirmation" television show starring Al Franken as "a caring nurturer but not a licensed therapist," continues to dispense feel-good bromides with creepy relish.

And the venerable "Weekend Update" has perked up considerably with the arrival of Norm MacDonald as the new anchor delivering the non-news, things like Ken Burns' next television project being a series on *History of the Dorky Haircut* or a *Cats* anniversary on Broadway being "the 5,000th time a guy turned to his wife and said, 'What the hell is this?' "

Sure, there's always a passing giggle, once in a while maybe a guffaw. But *Saturday Night* now seems trapped in a time warp, saddled with memories of a triumphant past while watching the occasional best and brightest comics whiz through its doors in ever shorter spurts of commitment. ❑

## DAYTIME HIGHLIGHTS

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**9 a.m.**

8 Aladdin. (CC) 97193
10 Phantom 2040. 88532
13 Free Willy. (CC) 33006
21 Rod & Reel. 97822
31 Animaniacs. (CC) 75648

**9:30 a.m.**

8 Jack Hanna's Animal Adventures. 23006
10 G.I. Joe. 14445
13 Superhuman Samurai Syber-Squad. (CC) 69919
21 Woodwright's Shop. (CC) 23735
31 Eek!stravaganza. (CC) 94261

**10 a.m.**

8 Martha Stewart Living. 22938
10 Name Your Adventure. (CC) 66342
13 Bump in the Night. (CC) 66483
21 Installation of the Rochester University President. 30071
31 The Adventures of Batman & Robin. (CC) 95551

**10:30 a.m.**

8 Bob Vila's Home Again. (CC) 93377
10 Saved by the Bell: The New Class. (CC) 84716
13 News for Kids. 22990
31 The Tick. (CC) 6453211 a.m.
8 The Computer Man. 26629
10 Nick News. 75919
13 The Bugs Bunny & Tweety Show. (CC) 91667
31 X-Men. (CC) 64483

**11:30 a.m.**

8 MotorWeek. 27358
10 NBA Inside Stuff. 76648
31 Where on Earth Is Carmen Sandiego?. (CC) 69984

**Noon**

8 College Football. Miami at West Virginia. (Live) 343377
10 Entrada. 60416
13 The Addams Family. (CC) 40342
21 Julia Child: Cooking With Master Chefs. (CC) 84358
31 WWF Superstars. 11984
38 Movie: *His Double Life.* 57416
WTBS (12:05 p.m.) The Native Americans. (CC) 9049209
WWOR Simon & Simon. 547464
WGN Soul Train. 756025
TLC Gardening Naturally.
LIFE Picture What Women Do. 479803
CMDY Jocks. 2158006
SPTS College Football. Clemson at Florida State. (Live) 604193
FAM Bonanza. 473629
GRC9 Wild West Showdown. 31700
TNT Movie: *Santa Fe.* 612714
A&E The 20th Century. 295803
DISC Escape to Paradise. 200735
USA Movie: *The Fan.* 733648
NICK Cartoon Kablooey. 588025
TNN North American Sportsman. 385071
HBO Movie: *Daffy Duck's Quackbusters.* 925667
MAX Movie: *Talent for the Game.* 989990
SHOW Movie: *The Meteor Man.* 740938
BRAVO The *Show Boat* Story. 656071

**12:30 p.m.**

10 Newsmaker. 18261
13 Weekend Specials. (CC) (R) 63735
21 Victory Garden. (CC) 27551
TLC Caprial's Cafe.
CMDY Stand-Up Stand-Up. 7470648
ESPN College Football. Purdue at Ohio State. (Live) 739667
NICK My Brother and Me. 116342
TNN Fishin' With Orlando Wilson. 106006

**1 p.m.**

10 13 Paid Programming. 95342 95483
21 Play Bridge With Audrey Grant. 42919
31 American Gladiators. (CC) 93532
WWOR A-Team. 450984
TLC Yvonne's Cookbook.
LIFE In the Name of Love. 325236
CMDY Small Doses. 5441087
FAM High Chaparral. 482377
A&E Investigative Reports. 204551
DISC Skybound. 815716
AMC Movie: *Stagecoach.* 1775464
NICK Looney Tunes. 813358
TNN NHRA Today. 714174
MSG NBA Preseason Basketball. Utah Jazz vs. New York Knicks. (Live) (CC) 28193
38 Sail New England. 716
WTBS (4:05 p.m.) The Native Americans. (CC) 5360261
WWOR Highlander. 209667
WGN Movie: *Snow Kill.* 392808
TLC Homebodies.
CMDY Soap. (CC) 6090006
SPTS Surfing. 201025
FAM Big Valley. 391551
TNT (4:15 p.m.) Movie: *Allegheny Uprising (Color).* 58274629
ESPN Basketball. 319822
CNN Healthworks. (R) 862464
DISC Movie Magic. 183547
USA Movie: *The Companion.* 128532
NICK Welcome Freshmen. 822939
MSG 125th Anniversary of College Football. (R)
UNI Movie: *Mi Compadre el Panzon.* 9698613
GRC17 Out All Night. (CC) 1097261
MAX Movie: *A League of Their Own.* 2884377

**4:30 p.m.**

21 Eye on Sports. (Live) (CC) 47396
31 The Simpsons. (CC) 24377
38 American Angler. 700
TLC Furniture to Go.
CMDY Absolutely Fabulous. 7796025
GRC9 Paid Programming. 86006
CNN Future Watch. (CC) 868648
DISC The Know Zone. 127321
NICK Family Double Dare. 927303
TNN Truckin' USA. 132396
SHOW Movie: *Enemy Mine.* 694378

**5 p.m.**

21 Firing Line. 61209
31 Baywatch. 65957
38 Babe Winkelman's Good Fishing. 1629
WWOR Renegade. 674822
CITY12 Movie: *The Man From Utah.* 9822
TLC Better Your Home.
LIFE Movie: *Deception: A Mother's Secret.* 754006
CMDY (5:10 p.m.) French and Saunders. 38041209
SPTS IWCCW Wrestling. 676280
FAM Bonanza. 782754
GRC9 Bowling. Men's Classic. 48358
ESPN Golf. Las Vegas Invitational, Fourth Round. (Live) 267280
CNN EarlyPrime. (CC) 134193
DISC Next Step. 341396
AMC (5:05 p.m.) Save Our Films. 75401087
NICK Beetlejuice. (CC) 349938
TNN Championship Rodeo. 757280
MSG NBA's Greatest Games. (R)
HBO Movie: *Bebe's Kids.* 276938
DSNY Movie: *Iron & Silk.* 4723990
DSNY Danger Bay. (CC) 270700
BRAVO Short and Curlies. 278342

**1:30 p.m.**

10 St. Jude. 17532
13 Paid Programming. 62006
21 Joy of Painting. 26822
31 Comedy Greats. 84193
CITY12 The Sales Connection: Principles of Selling. 39700
TLC Laurie Cooks Light and Easy.
LIFE Ooh, La, La. 499667
CMDY Musical Shorts. 7479919
DISC The Adventurers. 117071
NICK Looney Tunes. 115613
TNN Inside Winston Cup Racing. 105377
HBO Movie: *Weekend at Bernie's II.* 120223
MAX Movie: *The Natural.* 474990
DSNY Zorro. (CC) 741193
BRAVO Movie: *First Monday in October.* 499648

**2 p.m.**

10 To Be Announced. 1667
13 Paid Programming. 7483
21 Louisiana Cookin'. 47629
31 Movie: *Missing in Action.* 93483
38 Movie: *The Way of the West.* 81667
WTBS (2:05 p.m.) The Native Americans. (CC) 3901483
WWOR Knight Rider. 266087
WGN Movie: *The October Man.* 370629
CITY12 Movie: *This Is the Army.* 6293396
TLC Biba's Italian Kitchen.
LIFE Unsolved Mysteries. (CC) 361445
CMDY Soap. (CC) 9780648
FAM The Young Riders. (CC) 285071
GRC9 Soul Train. 14648
TNT Movie: *Heaven With a Gun.* 65053919
A&E American Justice. 101223
CNN The Big Story. 309223
DISC Challenge. 187445
USA Movie: *The Lookalike.* 235396
NICK What Would You Do?. 325358
TNN Auto Racing. AC Delco 200. (Live) 855396
SHOW Chris Cross. (CC) 509241
DSNY Texas John Slaughter. (CC) 622629

**2:30 p.m.**

10 13 Paid Programming. 9938 5754
21 Hawaii Cooks With Roy Yamaguchi. 95700
TLC The Burger Meister With Marcel Desaulniers.
CMDY Soap. (CC) 6009754
CNN Style With Elsa Klensch. (R) 775984
AMC (2:35 p.m.) Save Our Films. 30072209
NICK Wild and Crazy Kids. 822759
SHOW Movie: *Huck and the King of Hearts.* 370209

**3 p.m.**

8 Big East Postgame. 8984
10 13 Paid Programming. 4254 6990
21 Sewing With Nancy. 59464
WWOR Knight Rider. 280532
TLC Caprial's Cafe.
LIFE Movie: *Maid for Each Other.* 955174
CMDY Soap. (CC) 9792483
SPTS College Hockey USA. 589700
FAM Gunsmoke. 389716
A&E Movie: *Topaz.* 460808
CNN On the Menu. 139648
DISC Beyond 2000. 943803
AMC Movie: *Fort Apache.* 16816551
NICK Weinerville. 941445
HBO Movie: *School Ties.* 8970?1
DSNY Spin and Marty. 792844

**3:30 p.m.**

8 Paid Programming. 5193
10 Paid Programming. 4483
13 College Football. Michigan at Illinois. (Live) 393667
21 Sewing Connection. 70445
CITY12 (3:50 p.m.) Movie: *21 Days Together.* 97768218
TLC Gardening Naturally.
CMDY Soap. (CC) 6908071
SPTS CCHA Digest. 397261
ESPN College Football Scoreboard. 430754
CNN Your Money. 850629
MSG Futbol Mundial.
DSNY Movie: *The Strange Monster of Strawberry Cove.* 866261
BRAVO Movie: *The Rain People.* 890209

**4 p.m.**

8 Paid Programming. 1700
10 Golf. Solheim Cup, Day Two. (Live) 4990
21 Ark of Africa. 68261
31 Fresh Prince of Bel-Air.

## Prime time tonight

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| CBS WROC 8 WIVB 4 WTVH 5 | (8) News (CC) 1377 (4) (5) News 735 | (8) (5) CBS News (CC) 2629 (4) Steve Christie 777 | (8) Wheel of Fortune 6193 (4) Paid (5) EXTRA | (8) Jeopardy! (CC) 8613 (4) Connections 241 | Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman: Mike donates father's book collection to start the town library, touching off a furor over censorship. (CC) 50174 | | The Five Mrs. Buchanans (CC) 39193 | Hearts Afire: Madeline wants a baby. (CC) 14358 | Walker, Texas Ranger: Walker winds up in a coma after trying to save a baby from a car that teetered off a bridge. (CC) 73025 | | (8) News (CC) 3096984 (4) (5) News | (8) Sweet Valley High (4) Broadcast (5) Sightings | (4) (5) Programming 8972168 |
| NBC WHEC 10 WGRZ 2 WSTM 3 | News 3957 | (10) (2) NBC News (CC) 1919 (3) Broadcast 445 | (10) College Show (2) EXTRA (3) Entertainment | (10) Siskel & Ebert 3713 | Empty Nest: Carol seeks career advancement. (CC) 1803 | Something Wilder: The twins' birthday party. (CC) 4498 | Sweet Justice: Sex, Lies and Shining Armor. An attorney in James Lee Delacroy's firm charges sexual harassment. (CC) 91808 | | Sisters: Heroes. Al is released after rescuing the governor's wife from drowning in the prison pool. (CC) 41385 | | News 87700 | Saturday Night Live: Host Dana Carvey; Edie Brickell. (CC) 69377 | |
| ABC WOKR 13 WKBW 7 WIXT 9 | College Football: (3:30) Michigan at Illinois. (Live) 393667 | | (13) (7) News (CC) 5071 (9) Wheel of Fortune (CC) 1613 | (13) Hard Copy (7) Bills (9) Jeopardy! | Movie: *Problem Child 2* ★ (1991, Comedy) John Ritter, Michael Oliver. Unruly little Junior meets unruly little Trixie; they try to match his father with her mother. 'PG-13' (CC) 30358 | | | | The Commish: Tony suspects an officer posing as a corrupt cop to expose a crime ring may be the genuine article. (CC) 42193 | | (13) News (CC) 19236 (7) (9) News | (13) Current Extra 74174 (9) The Road (7) Court TV | (7) The Road: Kathy Mattea; Joe Ely; Doug Stone. 5482965 |
| PBS 21 WXXI (11) | Wild America: Badlands. (CC) 76629 | NatureScene 90209 | Lawrence Welk: Youman's Salute. Mary Lou Metzger; "No No Nanette" score. 90358 | | National Geographic: On Assignment: Aliens From Inner Space/Raw Power. 33826 | | Darling Buds of May: His secret revealed, Pieter decides to leave. (Part 2 of 2) 16342 | | Keeping Up Appearances 85087 | May to December 94735 | Red Dwarf: Lister wants date. 69990 | Movie: ★★★★ *Breaker Morant* (1980, Drama) Edward Woodward. 'PG' 8130349 | |
| FOX 31 WUHF (7) | Star Trek: The Next Generation: A force saps Enterprise power. (CC) 13396 | | Star Trek: Deep Space Nine: A secret from the past threaten Jadzia's life. (CC) 92700 | | Cops: L.A.: prowler. (CC) 89716 | Cops: Cleveland. (R) (CC) 91551 | America's Most Wanted: Abusive relationship leads to employee's death. (CC) 98984 | | Matlock: Surprise witness hinders acquittal for wrestler. (CC) 91071 | | Movie: ★★★★ *Brian's Song* (1971, Docudrama) Chicago Bear Gale Sayers backs dying teammate Brian Piccolo. 'G' 851236 | | |
| W38AW (Roch) 38 | USWA Wrestling 671209 | | Billy Bob's Country | Hit Video Country | Movie: ★★ *Spring in Park Lane* (1948, Romance-comedy) Anna Neagle. Young Englishwoman suspects uncle's new servant. 799071 | | | | Paid Programming | | Conquest of Space | Paid Programming | ★ *Stunt Squad* 644830 |
| W59BV (Roch) 59 | Family Affair 2238377 | Zola Levitt 2229629 | Dr. D. James Kennedy 2216193 | | TCT Today 8893377 | Christians in Action | Psalms of Praise | Arthelene Rippy | Jack Van Impe 9955700 | This Generation | Hour of Deliverance | Powerview 8384174 | Real Videos 2497304 |
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| WGN (4) | Saved by the Bell | California Dreams | Court TV: America | Illinois Instant Riches | Movie: ★★ *The Star Chamber* (1983, Drama) Michael Douglas, Hal Holbrook. 'R' 395938 | | | | News (CC) 374445 | | Night Court 666938 | Movie: ★★ *The Train Robbers* (1973) 'PG' 999938 | |
| WWOR (5) | Simon & Simon 543648 | | Don't Eat Daisies | Eddie's Father | Hazel 588071 | That Girl 670006 | Rising Tide 913358 | | News (CC) 802803 | Charles in Charge | Kojak 995087 | | Paid Programming |
| TBS (6) | (6:05) WCW Saturday Night: With Tony Schiavone, Bobby Heenan and Gene Okerlund. 8209984 | | | | (8:05) Movie: ★★★ *I'm Gonna Git You Sucka* (1988, Comedy) Ghetto heroes bring down white Mr. Big. 'R' 41497735 | | | | Movie: ★ *V.I. Warshawski* (1991, Mystery) Chicago private eye sleuths boyfriend's dock death. 'R' 406342 | | | | The Three Stooges |
| GRC9 (9) | TV Roll-Offs 37984 | | Paid Programming | Haven 87735 | Sirens: A Cop First. Amy's relatives irritate all. (CC) 33808 | | Highlander: The Cross of St. Antoine. 14984 | | News (CC) 83629 | Court TV: America | RoboCop: Illusions. (R) 50938 | | The Rainbow 94859 |
| CITY12 (12) | Malone 5735 | Amer. Defense Monitor | Firing Line 9321 | Reports 2071 | The Business Owners | Journal 5006 | Medically Speaking | The Rochester I Know | Sit and Be Fit 94193 | To Life! Yoga | Off the Air | | |
| TLC (16) | Hometime 115629 | Hometime 139209 | Romantic Escapes | Great Country Inns | Gr't Castles of Europe | Legends of History | Mysterious Forces | Body Atlas 111938 | The Operation 574358 | | Gr't Castles of Europe | Legends of History | Mysterious Forces |
| GRC17 (17) | BET Shop 4773938 | | Color Code 3318342 | Paid Programming | The Color of Money | One on One | Comicview 1830377 | Video Soul by Request 6739735 | | | Paid Programming | Paid Programming | Cantonese Theatre |
| RFIT (17) | Lo Mejor de lo Mejor 4773938 | | El Gran Juego de la Oca 4360754 | | | | | | | | World Vision 2269223 | | Cantonese Theatre |
| QVC (18) | Hi-Tech Toys and Electronics 9407629 | | | | 18K Gold Jewelry 9408358 | | Fun and Leisure 9411822 | | The Auto Shop 9421209 | | Big Boys' Toys 6232919 | | Gems |
| CNN (20) | The World Today | Managing/ Lou Dobbs | The Capital Gang | Sports Saturday 869377 | PrimeNews (CC) 221193 | | Larry King Weekend (CC) 218629 | | World News 211716 | | Sports Tonight 503209 | The Capital Gang | Newsnight 486878 |
| CNBC (22) | Rivera Live 5113445 | | Tim Russert 4777261 | Cal Thomas 1842700 | CNBC Talks 4793209 | Daisy Fuentes 4772716 | Talk Live: Host Michael Feinstein. 8933667 | | Tom Snyder 8936754 | | Real Personal 3521342 | Daisy Fuentes 1701629 | Talk Live 9115149 |
| ESPN (24) | (5) Golf (Live) 267280 | SportsCenter 410990 | Football Scoreboard | College Football: Kansas State at Colorado. (Live) (CC) 829071 | | | | | | College Football Scoreboard 860532 | | SportsCenter 468342 | NFL Matchup 651043 |
| SPTS (25)(16) | Hot Stove Report | Thoroughbred | College Football: Hofstra at Buffalo. (Live) 122209 | | | | | | | College Football : (JIP)California at USC. (Tape) 364735 | | | |
| MSG (26)(19) | Jets Journal 50667 | Fantasy Football | College Football: Dartmouth at Cornell. (Tape) 157782 | | | | | | Cat Chat (R) 61483 | Jets Journal (R) 47803 | (11:15) Ed Randall's Talking Baseball 4460880 | | To Be Announced |
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| LIFE (35) | (5) Movie: ★★ *Deception: A Mother's Secret* 754006 | | Movie: ★★ *The World's Oldest Living Bridesmaid* (1990, Romance-comedy) Donna Mills, Brian Wimmer. 575939 | | | | In the Name of Love | Girls Night Out 277648 | | Ooh, La, La 743990 | Unsolved Mysteries (CC) 670303 | | Midnight Caller 730217 |
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| MAXCity (14) Suburbs (2) West (98) | (6:15) Movie: ★★ *The Sandlot* (1993, Comedy-drama) The best baseball player in the neighborhood helps a new kid with his clumsy ballhandling. 'PG' (CC) 33188716 | | | | Movie: ★★ *Monolith* (1993, Science fiction) Bill Paxton. Bickering Los Angeles police partners figure out who's behind an alien shape-shifter on the loose. 'R' 930984 | | | | Movie: ★ *One Man Army* (1994, Action) Jerry Trimble, Melissa Anne Moore. L.A. kickboxer comes home to corruption. 'R' 622193 | | | Movie: ★★ *Last Action Hero* (1993, Fantasy) 'PG-13' (CC) 4529261 | |
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| DISNEY (0) West (2) | (5) Movie: ★★ *Iron & Silk* (1991, Docudrama) Mark Salzman. 'PG' (CC) 4723990 | | Movie: ★★★ *The Slipper and the Rose* (1976, Musical romance) Richard Chamberlain, Gemma Craven. Cinderella meets her prince at the ball, thanks to her fairy godmother. Directed by Bryan Forbes. 'G' 388174 | | | | | Movie: ★★ *Challenger* (1990, Docudrama) Karen Allen, Barry Bostwick. New Hampshire teacher Christa McAuliffe joins six other astronauts on the tragic 1986 space-shuttle flight. 311713 | | | | | Carole King (CC) 998859 |
| BRAVO (53)(22)(39) | South Bank Show 758483 | | The Dream 447777 | Tell Tale Heart 775025 | Reed Royalty 397396 | | Movie: ★ *The Hand* (1981, Horror) Michael Caine. Cartoonist's lost livelihood comes crawling back. 'R' 390483 | | | | Movie: ★★★ *1984* (1984, Science fiction) John Hurt, Richard Burton. 'R' 110629 | | |
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**12:30 a.m.**

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13 Paid Programming. 10781
31 Sightings. (CC) 492743
WTBS (12:40 a.m.) The Three Stooges. 23511526
TLC Body Atlas.
CMDY Limboland. 1780439
TNT (12:45 a.m.) Movie: *Guns of the Magnificent Seven.* 68420025
ESPN Bowling. LPBT Brunswick Three Rivers Open. (Taped) 220120
CNN Newsmaker Saturday. (CC) (R) 757878
NICK Bob Newhart. 115878
TNN Championship Rodeo. (R) 123859

**1 a.m.**

8 (1:05 a.m.) Paid Programming. 5589859
10 EXTRA: The Entertainment Magazine. (CC) 29762
13 Paid Programming. 55507
WTBS The Three Stooges. 2315052
WTBS (1:20 a.m.) The Three Stooges. 26596878
TLC The Operation.
CMDY Small Doses. 8830878
GRC9 Q & E! 623526
CNN Travel Guide. 829675
DISC Justice Files. 821168
USA Movie: *H.O.T.S.* 561149
NICK Get Smart. 294965
HBO (1:05 a.m.) Movie: *Shootfighter: Fight to the Death.* 37995217
SHOW (1:20 a.m.) Movie: *Acting on Impulse.* 94672217
DSNY Movie: *Road to Bali.* 3972168
BRAVO Reed Royalty. 247762

**1:30 a.m.**

8 (1:35 a.m.) Paid Programming. 5827217
13 31 Paid Programming. 85236 509472
WTBS (1:40 a.m.) The Three Stooges. 58115014
WGN Pro Football Weekly. 501472
CMDY One-Night Stand. (CC) 1195149
SPTS Thoroughbred Action From Aqueduct. (R) 145830
CNN Managing With Lou Dobbs. (R) 565965
NICK Dragnet. 930255
MAX (1:45 a.m.) Movie: *Hellmaster.* 59295781

**2 a.m.**

21 (2:05 a.m.) Paid Programming. 8538472
13 Paid Programming. 80365
31 Space Precinct. 188859
38 Movie: *Massacre at Fort Holman.* 779304
WTBS The Three Stooges. 3022584
WTBS (2:20 a.m.) The Three Stooges. 78396385
WGN Golf Show. 984781
TLC Hometime.
CMDY Comic Justice. 2669061
SPTS Racing From the Meadowlands. 784878
DISC Skybound. 539675
AMC Movie: *Stagecoach.* 1354014
NICK Alfred Hitchcock. 537217
BRAVO Movie: *The Hand.* 283385

**2:30 a.m.**

13 Paid Programming. 92120
WTBS (2:40 a.m.) The Three Stooges. 32667656
WGN Paid Programming. 970588
TLC Furniture to Go.
CMDY Stand-Up Stand-Up. 9618746
DISC The Adventurers. 541410
NICK Superman. 549052
HBO (2:45 a.m.) Movie: *A Woman, Her Men and Her Futon.* 19748526
DSNY (2:35 a.m.) Movie: *The Slipper and the Rose.* 38930781

**3 a.m.**

31 Movie: *The Other Side of the Mountain Part 2.* 805014

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## GOES OUT

### Catch of the day

- Bob Dylan (right) and his harmonica come blowin' in to the Auditorium Center, 875 East Main St., at 8 p.m. $22.50 and $35.
- Shawn Colvin, Widespread Panic and the Freddy Jones band headline the Max Fall Music Festival at 1 p.m. at Silver Stadium, 500 Norton St. Also, look for the international foods and the Velcro jumping. $25.
- Dream Engine combines acoustic music and performance poetry in a space opera at 8 p.m. at Pyramid Arts Center, Village Gate Square. $4
- *Turn to page 6C for a listing of more events.*

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## SCOOPS ON STAGE

### 'X' librettist to speak here

Playwright, poet and novelist **Thulani Davis** will give a talk and read from her work here on Tuesday.

Davis is perhaps best known for her libretto for *X: The Life and Times of Malcolm X*, which premiered at the New York City Opera in 1986. Her other theater work includes an adaptation of Brecht's *The Caucasian Chalk Circle*, directed by **George C. Wolfe** at the New York Shakespeare Festival. She is also the author of two books of poetry and the novel *1959*. Her second novel, *Primitives*, is due out next year. Her appearance, second in this fall's Writers & Books' Playwrights in Performance series, is at 7:30 p.m. in the School of the Arts Auditorium, 45 Prince St. Tickets are $12, or $10 for members of Writers & Books. Call (716) 473-2590.

### Cranky clown at Hiccup's

Acerbic, deadpan comic **Margaret Smith**, who often appears on TV's *Late Night With David Letterman* and *The Tonight Show*, performs at Hiccup's Komedy Kabaret next week.

Meanwhile, **Dom Irrera**, a comic of many faces and voices, finishes his run at Hiccup's at 8 and 10:30 tonight. Irrera also has appeared on Letterman's show and *Tonight*, as well as many others. He does non-stop commentary on the human comedy, readily switching into such diverse characters as a coffee-shop waitress and a street-smart instructor giving lessons on how to be Italian.

Smith's satirical streak and deadpan delivery have earned her an impressive list of TV credits and a 1992 American Comedy Award nomination for Funniest Comedian. She will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday and 8 and 10:30 p.m. Friday and next Saturday.

Tickets to Irrera's performance are $12.50. For Smith's performances, they're $8 on Thursday and $10 on Friday and Saturday.

Hiccup's is in the Genesee Plaza/Holiday Inn, 120 E. Main St. Call (716) 325-YUKS.

**Piped in sound** *Feadan or Scottish Pipers perform tonight at Hochstein.*

### Kick up your heels

The rustling of kilts and the droning of bagpipes are rare spectacles on the bonnie, bonnie braes of Rochester. In fact, you'll have to go indoors to witness **The Wakefield Dancers** at 8 tonight. The Scottish country dance group will be whirling through its strathspeys, reels and waltzes at the Hochstein Music School Performance Hall on 50 N. Plymouth Ave., spurred on by fiddler **Diane Murray**. And Highland dancer **Lynne Albert** will show off the ritual Highland Fling to bagpipe accompaniment. Also on the program is Aberdeen singer **Allan Carr**, the **Feadan or Scottish Pipers** and Rochester folk musicians **Roxanne Ziegler** on Celtic harp and **Mitzie Collins** on dulcimer. Advance tickets at $10 can be obtained by calling (716) 328-5856 until noon today. Regular tickets are $12 at the door after 7 p.m.

### Glimmerglass shatters record

Rochester music lovers making summer visits to Cooperstown seldom pass up a chance to hear the **Glimmerglass Opera**. The Otsego County group just reported that attendance at this summer's 20th anniversary season reached a record-breaking 26,295, with 16 sold-out performances. The most popular item was Rossini's *The Barber of Seville*, which had a full house for every performance. Next summer's offerings include Gilbert and Sullivan's *The Yeomen of the Guard*, Mozart's *Don Giovanni*, Britten's *Paul Bunyan* and Handel's *Tamerlano*. Call (607) 547-2255.

— EUGENE MARINO and STUART LOW

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THEATER PREVIEW

# *All's Will that ends well*

*After 13 years without William Shakespeare, GeVa brings back The Bard*

By MICHAEL LASSER

At long last, Shakespeare returns to Rochester's professional stage.

Thirteen years after performing *Twelfth Night* in its old theater in the now-demolished Rochester Business Institute, GeVa Theatre opens a five-week run of *As You Like It* tonight.

One of the sweetest and occasionally most melancholy romantic comedies ever written, *As You Like It* takes the stage in a production that director Eberle Thomas says is traditional in style, though noticeably shorter than the play Shakespeare wrote.

Thomas made the cuts even though Howard Millman, GeVa's producing artistic director, calls *As You Like It* "one of Shakespeare's most accessible plays."

Written in 1599, when its author was 35, *As You Like It* offers its characters temporary new lives away from the distractions and impositions of everyday reality. The Forest of Arden is a springtime place where imagination nourishes the spirit and deception teaches truth.

**Susan Appel,** who plays Rosalind, the romantic heroine, says that for her character, "the forest is so liberating, the fantasy land is so freeing, she can say exactly what she feels. She doesn't have to worry about appearances. It bursts out of her."

A conventional young woman, Rosalind frees herself by donning a man's clothes and changing her name. In the forest, she joins Touchstone, a fool by occupation but a cynical philosopher by inclination; a couple of country bumpkins; elegant ladies and gentlemen; and Jacques (pronounced JAY-queez), the melancholy intellectual.

For Jacques, Shakespeare reserves the play's few lines of poetry. "All the world's a stage," he begins in one of the most famous speeches in the language, "And all the men and women merely players."

**Arden follower** *Orlando (Robert Carin, left) wrestles with brother Oliver (Matt Sullivan) and is banished to the Forest of Arden, where he meets his 'ove, Rosalind.*

ANNETTE LEIN staff photographer

Thomas, 59, has been working with Shakespeare as an actor for nearly 40 years and as a director for more than 20. Though this is his third time directing *As You Like It*, he said in a recent interview that he still has "no sense of understanding everything in it. There's a wonderful mystery at the bottom of it. The whole process of attempting to see the whole piece, of giving the entire beast its animation, is joyful."

But he also believes that "modern audiences are born and bred on faster-paced electronic media." That's part of his reason for cutting 15 percent of the original text.

"I've cut passages that might be regarded as repetitive," he adds. "I also excised passages that are obscure enough to cause comprehension difficulties — unless they're essential. I think judicious cuts can bring you closer to the spirit of the play than being literally true to the text."

**Despite the trimming,** Shakespeare remains a great challenge for any cast, especially young Americans untrained in the great British tradition of Shakespearean acting. "We don't have a system in America that feeds classical productions. We don't have repertory theaters that do the classical repertory," Thomas says.

But he also says that his cast balances well-trained young actors with experienced older actors.

Appel, one of the cast's younger members who also played Annie Sullivan in GeVa's production of *The Miracle Worker* last May, says Shakespeare gives audiences a sense of "extended reality. It's not realistic, yet it's rooted in truth. It takes tremendous skill to speak it with grace and truthfulness. Older actors are always better at that. That's something I learn from them."

Appel also believes there's a key to doing Shakespeare. "You have to understand what you're saying, and that takes work," she says. "You have to be as specific as possible in understanding every image, in trying to find what a single word conjures up in you emotionally, what requirements it makes of you physically. When you attack it that specifically, the character comes to life naturally. It comes to life from within you."

Thomas directed another production of *As You Like It* last summer at the Utah Shakespeare Festival and would normally not have directed the same play again so soon. But he says, "In point of fact, I asked Howard (Millman) if I could do it."

Though he has never lived in the area, Thomas says he feels a kinship with Rochester and GeVa. He has appeared on GeVa's stage four times, most recently as Dr. Anagnos in *The Miracle Worker*. He also wrote GeVa's annual version of *The Christmas Carol*, as well as the 1992 adaptation of Jerre Mangione's *Mount Allegro*.

"I knew this was going to be the first Shakespeare at GeVa since the move," he said. "I just said, I would like to be a part of that." ❑

*Free-lancer Michael Lasser writes about theater.*

### As You Like It

**What:** Shakespeare's romantic comedy in the Forest of Arden
**Where:** GeVa Theatre, 75 Woodbury Blvd.
**When:** 8 p.m. Tuesdays through Thursdays, 8:30 p.m. Fridays, 4 and 8:30 p.m. Saturdays and 2 and 7:30 p.m. Sundays; through Nov. 20. Audio-described on Nov. 11, sign-interpreted on Nov. 18
**Tickets:** $20-$33; half-price tickets available the day of the show; some $5 tickets available for the side balcony
**Call:** (716) 232-GEVA
**Singles Night:** Hors d'oeuvres and drinks at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in GeVa's Backstage Bistro; tickets, $24 or $29, include seats for the 8 p.m. show. Call (716) 232-1366.

# *You wouldn't want him at your house, but 'The Nerd' is welcome at Cabaret*

By BRUCE SWEET

Downstairs Cabaret Theatre's production of *The Nerd* has all the classic comic devices you'll want to see:

Exotic Terre Haute, Ind., rituals such as watching fruit decay or dancing arcane fertility rites. The glorified stock character of "the boss" encountering low-flying dairy products. And even a wily, wisecracking drama critic who plays with his food and finally has fun eating his own words.

But the biggest source of laughter is the title character, Rick Steadman, wonderfully played by Jeffrey A. Sumner. And despite the production's occasional flaws, it is Sumner who carries the weight of comic hysteria to its surprise ending.

The action begins with a surprise. The hero is boyishly charming and mild-mannered architect Willum Cubbert. He is thrown a birthday party by his girlfriend, Tansy, and buddy, acerbic drama critic Axel. But the only guests who show are Willum's demanding boss, bringing along a mousy wife and son from hell.

Although this might seem enough to stir the comic soup, in scoots the "main course": Steadman, the man who saved Willum's life in Vietnam.

THEATER REVIEW

This is one weird cookie. He pulls his pants up just below his armpits. He speaks in fluent non sequiturs accented by vocal tics. When he laughs and wipes his sleeve across his nostrils, it is as if he's snorting backwards.

A week later, he's still there.

All Willum really wants is Tansy and a design job that leaves a little room for the artistic touch. Tansy wants to take a job in Washington, D.C., where she can realize her career as a TV weather woman. His buddy, Axel, wants to finally do a selfless act: to help these two be together. But is *any* drama critic capable of that? And how are they going to get rid of *The Nerd*?

**Sumner's nerd** is a thoroughly professional laugh riot because he takes his character very seriously. The details he creates, whether they be vocal, physical or psychical, are as specific as an untucked shirttail, an excited squeak or a determined sashay.

Mitchell Riggs' architect is a gentle foil for the nerd. His genuine warmth and growing courage make him a strongly attractive character. Casting Sheri Levy in a role that normally calls for the classic WASP pays off: With her dark good looks and warm humor, she makes Tansy more than just an ambitious fashion plate.

SHAWN DOWD staff photographer

**Devilish problem** *Nerdy Rick Steadman (Jeffrey A. Sumner) grosses out guests at a dinner party as he eats a deviled egg. Worse: He won't leave.*

Tim Anderson's Axel handles all the cued one-liners with aplomb, but his light touch often fades into the scenery.

David Shakes as the boss is a fine blusterer. Patricia A. Morabito successfully show's the wife's frustration and anger with a smashing prop trick. Ryan Ford effects a high-energy brat-monster.

Director Christopher Kawolsky generally moves the action at the necessary speed, evoking some funny sight gags and physical movement. But at times, particularly when Sumner is not onstage, the smooth flow of the comic tempo sputters.

And the setting by Doug Ford, Pam Ford and Frank Polvino, while working well enough for the play's needs, might be more effective if it weren't a slightly reworked home setting for a previous production (*Run For Your Wife*). Ah, but that is a problem for an ambitious, financially strapped, almost repertory company.

Still, *The Nerd* is well worth your laughter. ❑

### The Nerd

**What:** A comedy by Larry Shue
**When:** 9 tonight through Oct. 30
**Where:** Downstairs Cabaret Theatre, 151 St. Paul St.
**Tickets:** $18 Tuesdays through Thursdays, $21 weekends; discounts available
**Call:** (716) 325-4370

# UR poster exhibit documents fight against AIDS

By DIANA LOUISE CARTER
STAFF WRITER

Dr. Edward Atwater was riding the Boston subway three years ago when he noticed a poster promoting AIDS prevention.

Two disembodied hands held a condom wrapper.

"This is remarkable," the physician thought, recalling that when he was in medical school about 40 years ago, it was illegal to teach about birth control. "This is a rather dramatic social change."

The drama of the poster might not have struck just any doctor; Atwater is a medical historian.

"I was interested in collecting the ephemera (short-lived printed matter) of a very important medical event that would soon pass, although maybe not as soon as we would like," he says. "This is not now or in the foreseeable future a curable problem. But it is a preventable problem," he says.

Atwater called up the public health department in Boston to get a copy of the subway poster, and that launched him on a continuing project to document the AIDS crisis through its posters. So far he's collected about 2,500 of them.

Approximately 90 of Atwater's posters, and a handful from other sources, are on display now at the University of Rochester's Hartnett Gallery, in the Wilson Commons. The show, "Image Positive: AIDS Activism and Collective Art Practice" runs through Nov. 11.

**The retired doctor** amassed his collection by writing to every state's public health department and to gay and ethnic organizations. Some friends have brought back posters from other countries, he picked up some on his own travels, and he writes to health officials abroad to look for additional images. He also trades posters with medical archivists.

"I'm still at work. I got some from Nepal the other day," he says.

He has shown selections of his posters 17 or 18 times before, he says, at venues that include other colleges, Pyramid Arts Center and a Unitarian church.

"Image Positive" also includes a collection of books and videotapes on

EXHIBIT

File photo

**Image Positive** A poster from the Hartnett Gallery exhibit.

AIDS and a banner commemorating the Names Project's AIDS quilt visit to UR in April. The gallery also will be the stage for talks and panel discussions on AIDS while the show is up.

Most of the posters are mounted on two walls, with only an inch or two between images. The two predominant messages in the group are to practice safe sex — in just about every possible way sex can be practiced — and that AIDS can affect everyone: Australian Aborigines, gay black men in New York City, heterosexual couples in France. A few urge compassion and early treatment for people with AIDS.

## Image Positive

**What**: A free, multi-media art and information exhibit on AIDS education and prevention
**Where**: Hartnett Gallery, Wilson Commons, University of Rochester River Campus
**When**: 11 a.m.-8 p.m. weekdays, noon-6 p.m. weekends, through Nov. 11
**For information**: Call (716) 275-9390

"There are some posters that speak very specifically to a very small group," says Babak Elahi, a graduate English student and co-curator of the show. One of the most explicit posters, for instance, is aimed at the patrons of a gay bar. Another was produced for AIDS activist marches. "The risk we're taking is taking them out of their contexts," he says.

Some images are purely artistic, such as the native Alaskan eagle drum design pictured above these words, "The drum is sounding a warning. Hear the call. Tell your people about AIDS."

Some are coy, such as the print of a Geisha girl putting a banana into her mouth, above a single word: "Practice."

**Some are** strikingly simple, yet witty.

A naked Ken doll is pictured above the words "Unless you're built like this, you should be using condoms." Being as anatomically incorrect as his girlfriend, Barbie, Ken lacks the appendage that is shown in varying states of arousal in many of the other posters.

The warning sign at the entrance of the exhibit is warranted. Some of the images are erotic, merely suggesting sex; others border on pornographic. Oral-genital, oral-anal, genital-anal and anal-digital sex are all depicted in photographs. The appropriate latex barrier to prevent transmission of disease is shown in each.

Heterosexual couples and both male and female homosexual couples are shown having sex. Some sadomasochistic sex is pictured.

Atwater says the posters on view now are not representative of the entire collection; they're among the rawest. But each time he has shown his posters, he allows the group showing them to pick those they want to exhibit because he feels they know their audience best.

"We just picked the ones we thought were the most effective," says Elahi. He and fellow curator Eloy J. Hernandez, a graduate student in visual and cultural studies, felt that the most effective posters were those produced by gay and lesbian groups. "What's explicit to some is honest or direct to others," Elahi says. ❑

# Positive

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never knew they had HIV. Early detection of HIV and getting into medical care can add years to a person's life," Valenti says.

Two-and-a-half weeks into the four-week campaign, all the appointments for tests at CHN's offices at 758 South Ave. are filled, although appointments are still available at the three sites being visited by an outreach van. Valenti says CHN expects to test 300 people, 70 more than last year.

Ken Weimar, spokesman for CHN, says he can tell when the campaign's public service announcements run on television.

"All of sudden we'll get a bunch of calls at once and it's because everyone's seen the PSA," Weimar says.

"HIV testing is like an impulse buy for some people," notes Valenti.

Like last year, people who can't get an appointment during the CHN campaign will be referred to the free, anonymous testing program that's offered year-round at the state Department of Health's Westfall Road offices. Valenti says the CHN spillover kept the state program busy for six weeks last year.

**The four people** whose pictures are on buses, bulletin boards and billboards, and in church meeting halls, doctors offices and gay and ethnic agencies are sudden celebrities, at least within the circles that know them by sight.

Rachel Santiago, 22, was born and raised in the Hispanic North Clinton Avenue area, where, she says, she knows lots of people. She volunteered to model for the poster, she says, "because if they see my face up in pictures, maybe they'll take the time to get tested."

In fact, she says, many have stopped her on the street to ask if she's the one in the posters. But then she questions them: Have they been tested yet? Most say they haven't, she says.

CHN didn't have to go far to find Santiago. She has worked there for two years as a medical office assistant. She took the job, she says, after losing a cousin to AIDS. Previously she worked at Anthony L. Jordan Health Center, on the city's northeast side, and often found herself translating for Hispanic patients who needed treatment for the AIDS virus.

All the people in the poster have some connection to AIDS. Jeffrey Kost, 36, is spokesman for AIDS Rochester, the agency that is supplying the van for the campaign. LaSharon Haskins is a counselor for AIDS Rochester. And Michael Lee, a courier for a legal firm, has lost friends to the disease and is related to a social worker at CHN.

And what about the results of their AIDS tests?

Santiago says she tells people, "Don't worry about me, if I have AIDS. Why don't you go check your status?"

Lee, 32, heard that customers of a shop where his face was displayed wanted to know his HIV status. "That's not the point of the poster. Read it. It's for free testing." He won't discuss his results. "I think it's kind of personal. It really doesn't matter what the results are. I've been tested. It's important to know what your health status is."

For the record, Kost and Santiago say they're HIV-negative. Haskins was not available for an interview.

**Photography, design,** production and printing were all donated for the campaign, which ended up costing CHN only $6,500 instead of an estimated $100,000.

"I think the biggest challenge was reaching this audience," because of its diversity, says Cynthia Hennig, spokeswoman for ICE Inc., the Rochester advertising firm that created the campaign. ICE won five regional awards for last year's campaign, which used the same splashy graphics.

CHN provided the diverse models, Hennig says, making that part easy. The firm had to figure out places — churches and ethnic agencies, for instance — to put the message so it would reach the target audience.

"HIV touches all segments of our community: gay and straight, black, white, Latino, rich and poor, city and suburbs," says Valenti. ❑

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# OUT & ABOUT TODAY

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## BENEFITS

**Ghost Walk,** guided tour through the darkened streets of Rochester's East Avenue Preservation District; hear stories from Rochester's past — some sinister, some humorous; presented by Landmark Society of Western New York; begins at Third Presbyterian Church, East Avenue and Meigs Street, 7-10 p.m.; **Sun.** 5-7 p.m.; $5; $4 advance; tickets available at Village Green Bookstores, Parkleigh and the Landmark Society. (716) 546-7029

## FILMS

**Black to the Promised Land** (1992), Israel Film Festival; The Little theater, 240 East Ave., 7:30 p.m., $6. (716) 232-4699 or (716) 461-0490. **IR**

**Crooklyn,** Hubbell Auditorium, Hutchison Hall, University of Rochester River Campus, Wilson Boulevard, 7:30 and 10:15 p.m., $3; $2.75 advance. (716) 275-5911.

## MUSIC

**Bob Dylan,** Auditorium Center, 875 E. Main St., 8 p.m., $25 and $32.50. (716) 222-5000, (716) 232-1900 or TDD (800) 943-4327.

**Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra,** works by Brahms, Rossini and more; The Smith Opera House, 82 Seneca St., Geneva, Ontario County, 8:15 p.m., $15, $7 students with ID, $14 and $6 in advance. (315) 781-LIVE.

**Concert of Traditional Irish Music,** featuring The *Feadon Or* Scottish Pipe Band, Allan Carr, Diane Murray, Mitzie Collins and Roxanne Ziegler and The Wakefield Dancers; sponsored by Sampler Records; Hochstein Performance Hall, 50 N. Plymouth Ave., 8 p.m., $12, $10 advance. (716) 328-5856.

**Coffeehouse**, contemporary, folk, acoustic and blues music; Blessed Sacrament Church, 259 Rutgers, 8 p.m.-midnight, $4. (716) 271-7240.

**De Garmo & Key**, with Big Tent Revival; Greece Assembly of God Church, 750 Long Pond Road, Greece, 7:30 p.m., $3. (716) 647-6178.

## THEATER

**Arsenic and Old Lace**, hijinks abound when a nephew discovers that his two matronly aunts have been using their cellar to dispose of gentleman callers; comedy presented by Rochester Community Players; RCP Theatre, Orcutt-Botsford Fine Arts Center, 3646 East Ave., Pittsford, 8 p.m.; **Sun.** 2 p.m.; through Oct. 30; $15; $12 seniors and students; group discounts available. (716) 385-5580.

**As You Like It**, romantic comedy by William Shakespeare; GeVa Theatre, 75 Woodbury Blvd.; 8:30 p.m.; **Sun.** 2 and 7:30 p.m.; Tues.-Thurs. 8 p.m.; through Nov. 20; $5-$33. (716) 232-GEVA or TDD (716) 325-1441. **IR**

**Death and the Maiden**, exploration of the aftereffects of repression as a nation emerges from a totalitarian dictatorship; drama by Ariel Dorfman; presented by Shipping Dock Theatre; Shipping Dock Theatre, St. John Fisher College, 3690 East Ave., Pittsford, 3 p.m.; through Oct. 30; $14; $12 for seniors and students on Sundays. (716) 385-8400.

**Do Patent Leather Shoes Really Reflect Up?**, musical comedy about life in a Catholic school during the 1950s; Theatre Arts Playhouse, 2106 Five Mile Line Road, Penfield, 8:30 p.m.; (final performance); $8. (716) 383-9060.

**The Glass Menagerie**, drama by Tennessee Williams; Tower Fine Arts Theatre, Holley Street, State University College at Brockport, 8 p.m.; **Sun.** 2 p.m. (sign interpreted for the hearing impaired); through Oct. 30.; $7; $5 seniors, students and children; group rates available. (716) 395-ARTS.

**The Living Cartoon**, one-man show combining voice and sign language; featuring CJ Jones; Coffee House Production; presented by Lights On! Deaf Theater; Rochester Association of Performing Arts Playhouse, Auditorium Center, 875 E. Main St. 8 p.m.; $5 and $10. TDD (716) 242-8526 or voice/relay (800) 421-1220 **SL**

**Mark Russell**, political satire and comedy; Limelight Performing Arts Series; Kuhl Gymnasium, State University College at Geneseo, 8 p.m. (only performance); $15; $13 seniors, faculty, staff and alumni; $10 SUNY Geneseo students. (716) 245-5873.

**The Nerd**, comedy about a normally calm young architect who finds himself considering violence when a bumbling young nerd begins to overstay his welcome; Downstairs Cabaret Theatre, 151 St. Paul St.; 9 p.m.; **Sun.** 7:30 p.m.; $16-$21; $13-$18 seniors; $8-$10.50 full-time students. (716) 325-4370.

**One Man Band**, musical by James Lecesne; Downstairs Cabaret Theatre, 151 St. Paul St.; 5 p.m.; **Wed.** 7 p.m.; $21; $18 seniors; $10.50 full-time students; group discounts available. (716) 325-4370.

**You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown**, play based on the lovable characters created by Charles Schulz; presented by Rochester Children's Theatre; Memorial Art Gallery, 500 University Ave., noon and 3 p.m.; **Sun.** 2 p.m.; through Oct. 30; $6-$8. (716) 271-7870.

**Windy City**, musical based on the play *The Front Page* by Tony Macaulay and Dick Vosburgh; presented by Blackfriars Theatre; Blackfriars Theatre-in-Residence, School of the Arts Main Theater, 48 Prince St. at University Avenue; 2 and 7:30 p.m. (final performance); $18; $16 seniors and full-time students. (716) 454-1260.

## DANCE

**Colleen Hendrick Dance Project,** premiere of "This Is the Garden," inspired by the life and work of E.E. Cummings; Monroe Community College Theatre,Building 4, 1000 East Henrietta Road, Brighton, 8 p.m.; **Sun.** 2 p.m.; $8; $5 seniors; $1 students and ages 11 and under. (716) 292-2060 or (716) 546-2219.

## TALKS

**Book Discussion and Signing,** *Kremlin Wives* by Larissa Vasilieva; Borders Books & Music, Jay Scutti Plaza, 1000 Hylan Drive, Henrietta, noon-1 p.m., free. (716) 292-5900.

## OTHER

**Arcade and Attica Railroad Excursions,** 90-minute scenic train rides; Arcade Depot, routes 39 and 98, Arcade, Wyoming County, noon, 2 and 4 p.m.; same time **Sun.**; $8; $5 ages 3-11; ages 2 and under free; call for further information. (800) 841-2418.

# CORRECTION

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*The Living Cartoon*, presented by Lights On! Deaf Theater, will be performed at 8 tonight and at 2 p.m. tomorrow at RAPA Playhouse, Auditorium Center, 875 E. Main St. There will be no voice interpretations, but a synopsis will be provided upon request. The incorrect time was printed in Thursday's *Weekend*.

Religious Guide

Hilton United Methodist Church
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Fay's DRUGS

This Week's Fay's Breast Cancer Awareness Clinic will be held Saturday, October 22 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Fay's Suburban Plaza store in Henrietta at 2199 East Henrietta Road.

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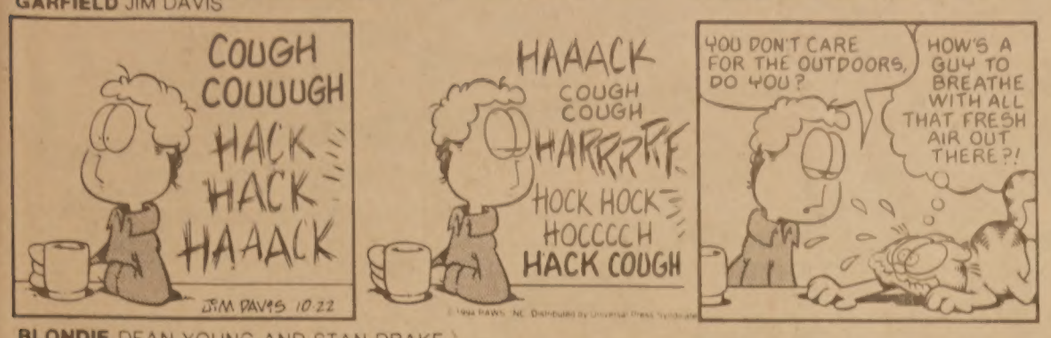
**JUMP START** ROBB ARMSTRONG

SUNNY IS JUST ABOUT READY FOR "STAGE ONE" BABY FOOD..
AISLE 3
WHEN SHE'S AROUND SIX MONTHS SHE CAN MOVE ON TO "STAGE TWO" BABY FOOD.
WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO?
"STAGE TWO" IS FORMULATED NOT TO STICK TO LINOLEUM.

**GARFIELD** JIM DAVIS


COUGH COUUUGH HACK HACK HAAACK
JIM DAVIS 10-22
HAAACK COUGH COUGH HARRRFF HOCK HOCK HOCCCH HACK COUGH
YOU DON'T CARE FOR THE OUTDOORS, DO YOU?
HOW'S A GUY TO BREATHE WITH ALL THAT FRESH AIR OUT THERE?!

**BLONDIE** DEAN YOUNG AND STAN DRAKE

I'VE GOT KIND OF A PROBLEM, DAD..
I NEED MORE MONEY BUT THERE'S NO WAY I CAN GET A JOB..
FOOTBALL PRACTICE TAKES ALL AFTERNOON AND I NEED NIGHTS FOR STUDYING
SO WHAT'S THE ANSWER?
SO WHAT'S THE QUESTION?
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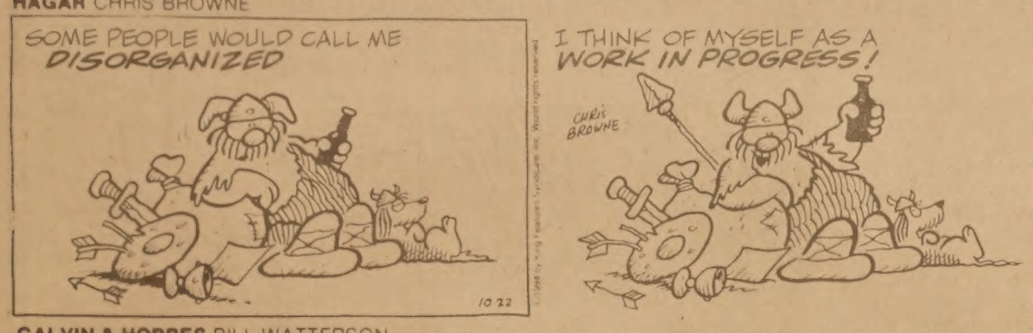
**ANDY CAPP** REGGIE SMYTHE

**HAGAR** CHRIS BROWNE




**CALVIN & HOBBES** BILL WATTERSON

CALVIN, YOU LET ME BACK IN THE HOUSE THIS INSTANT!
DON'T WORRY, ROSALYN! THERE'S ONLY A 50% CHANCE OF RAIN TONIGHT! HA HA!
SHE'S TRYING TO OPEN THE DOWNSTAIRS WINDOWS.
IT'S OK. I ALREADY LOCKED THEM.
YOU OPEN UP THAT DOOR!
HEY, ROZ! WHAT'S IN YOUR PURSE? MIND IF WE LOOK??
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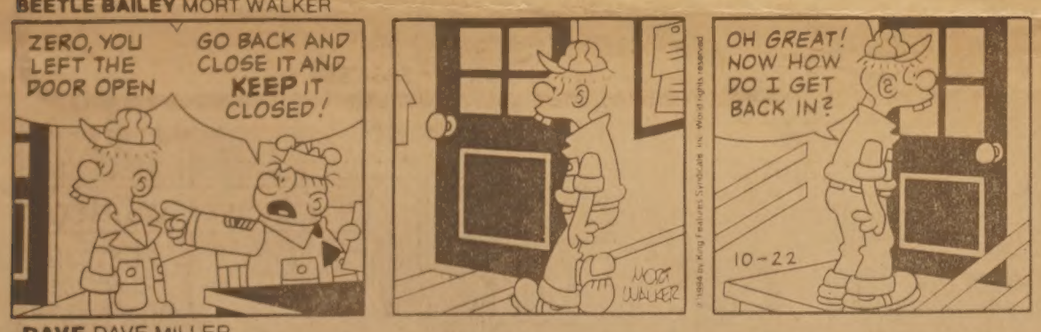
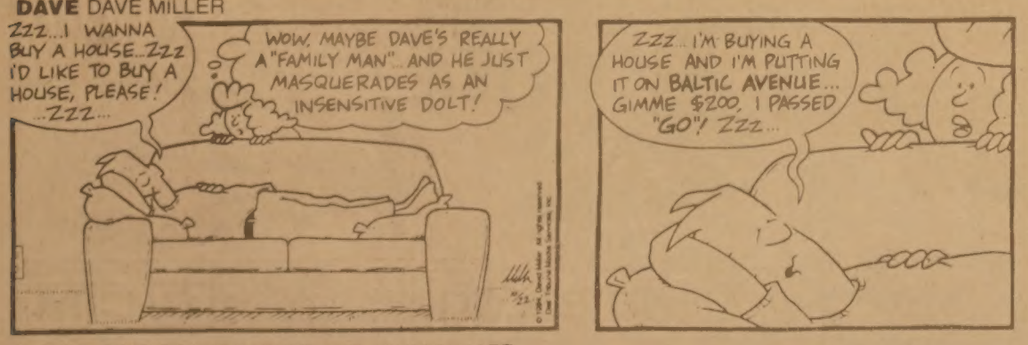
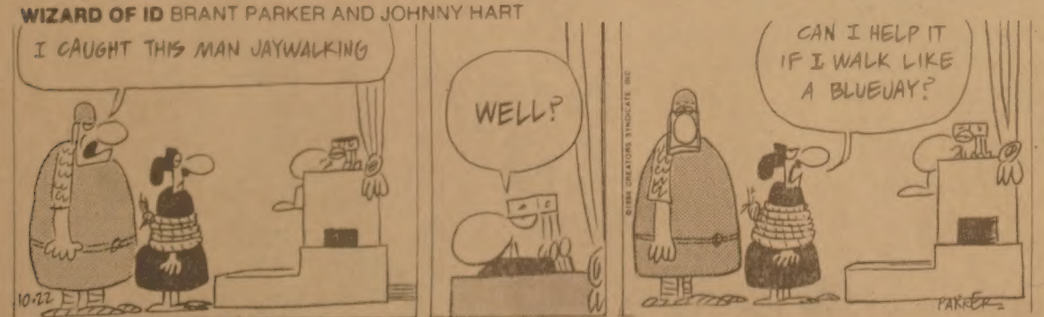
**BEETLE BAILEY** MORT WALKER




**DAVE** DAVE MILLER


ZZZ...I WANNA BUY A HOUSE...ZZZ I'D LIKE TO BUY A HOUSE, PLEASE! ...ZZZ...
WOW. MAYBE DAVE'S REALLY A "FAMILY MAN"... AND HE JUST MASQUERADES AS AN INSENSITIVE DOLT!
ZZZ...I'M BUYING A HOUSE AND I'M PUTTING IT ON BALTIC AVENUE... GIMME $200, I PASSED "GO"! ZZZ...

**WIZARD OF ID** BRANT PARKER AND JOHNNY HART




**FRED BASSET** ALEX GRAHAM

WHAT'S FOR DINNER?
MACARONI AND CHEESE
MACARONI AND CHEESE? BUT WE ALWAYS HAVE PORK CHOPS ON WEDNESDAY
I THOUGHT YOU'D LIKE A CHANGE
Forgot to go to the butchers, more like it!

**GASOLINE ALLEY** JIM SCANCARELLI

I'm so sick of pumpkins, I never want to see another one till next year!
Look, Adam! Ada won the coloring contest in the paper!
Great! What did she win?
A 150-pound jack-o-lantern!
SCANCARELLI

**BRENDA STARR** RAMONA FRADON AND MARY SCHMICH

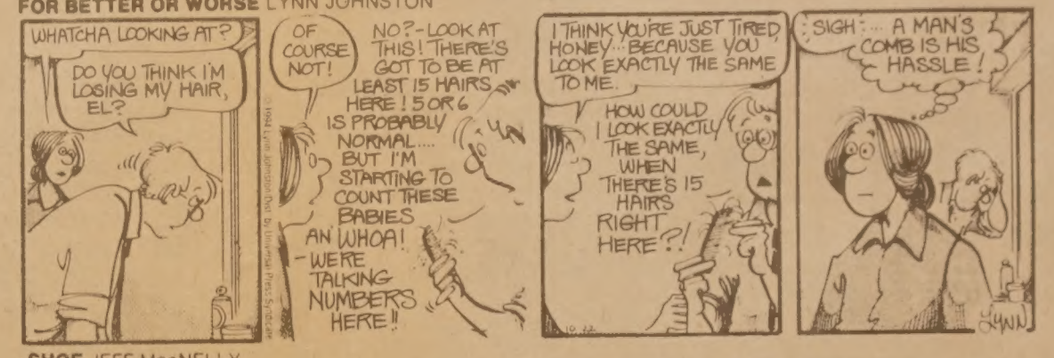
**FAR SIDE** GARY LARSON

Fortunately for Sparky, Zeke knew the famous "Rex maneuver."

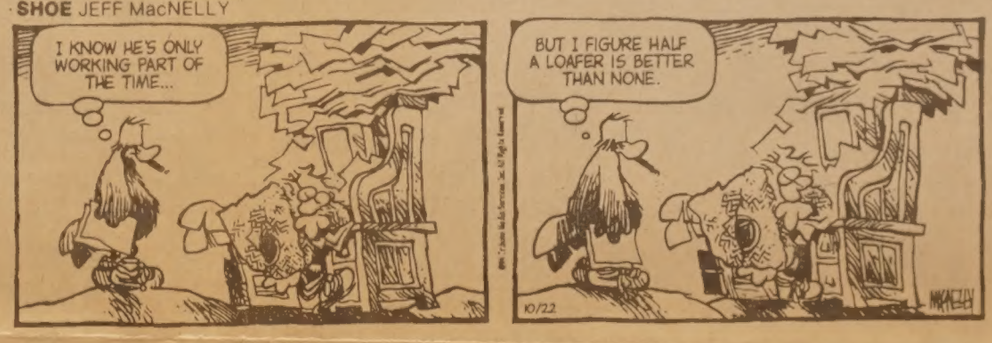
**HEATHCLIFF** GEORGE GATELY

"I CAN'T HELP IT IF I HAVE A SLOW DAY."

**FOR BETTER OR WORSE** LYNN JOHNSTON


WHATCHA LOOKING AT?
DO YOU THINK I'M LOSING MY HAIR, EL?
OF COURSE NOT!
NO?-LOOK AT THIS! THERE'S GOT TO BE AT LEAST 15 HAIRS HERE! 5 OR 6 IS PROBABLY NORMAL.... BUT I'M STARTING TO COUNT THESE BABIES AN WHOA! -WE'RE TALKING NUMBERS HERE!!
I THINK YOU'RE JUST TIRED, HONEY...BECAUSE YOU LOOK EXACTLY THE SAME TO ME.
HOW COULD I LOOK EXACTLY THE SAME, WHEN THERE'S 15 HAIRS RIGHT HERE?!
SIGH... A MAN'S COMB IS HIS HASSLE!
LYNN

**SHOE** JEFF MacNELLY




## Crossword

**SATURDAY STUMPER** by Dean Niles
Edited by Stanley Newman

**ACROSS**
1 Town in Mali
9 Takes off
14 Wake-up calls
15 Sedative
17 Romeo's surname
18 Purple dinosaur
19 Last word
20 Ming's nemesis
22 Go out
23 Anil and eosin
25 In conclusion, in Cherbourg
27 French holy woman: Abbr.
28 Trattoria treats
31 Altar vow
33 Good quality
36 Reynolds film
38 Lease
41 Fertilizer plants
42 Word after "mild" or "ill"
44 Greek physician
45 Heart chart
46 Gandhi or Calvin
49 Salamander
51 Cuttlefish-ink color
52 Give off
56 Mad. Ave. guy
58 Pores over
60 "__ Yankee Doodle dandy . . ."
61 Baby __ (Post-WWII child)
63 Russian olive
65 Took surreptitiously
66 Profited by
67 Zambia city
68 Eclipse highlight

**DOWN**
1 Broke
2 O. Henry device
3 World, on the Riviera
4 Other than
5 Mil. branch
6 Don Carter, e.g.
7 Hookymeister
8 Find __ (employ)
9 ID datum
10 Milky mineral
11 Lets go
12 Overly gung-ho
13 Dock worker
16 Potato part
21 Earl "Fatha" __
24 Strict
26 "About a Quarter to __"
29 Webfooted mammal
30 "All the world's a __"
32 Tourney type
33 Top of the heap
34 Con game
35 Self-possession
37 With it
39 "__ Tu"
40 Pass the buck, politely
43 Reckon
47 Theater district
48 Succeeded
50 Musical rate
53 Gaynor et al.
54 "Experiment to me is everyone __": Dickinson
55 Late
56 Stomach muscles, for short
57 Marmalade ingredient
59 Room, in Reynosa
62 Vitamin guidelines from the FDA
64 Part of RSVP

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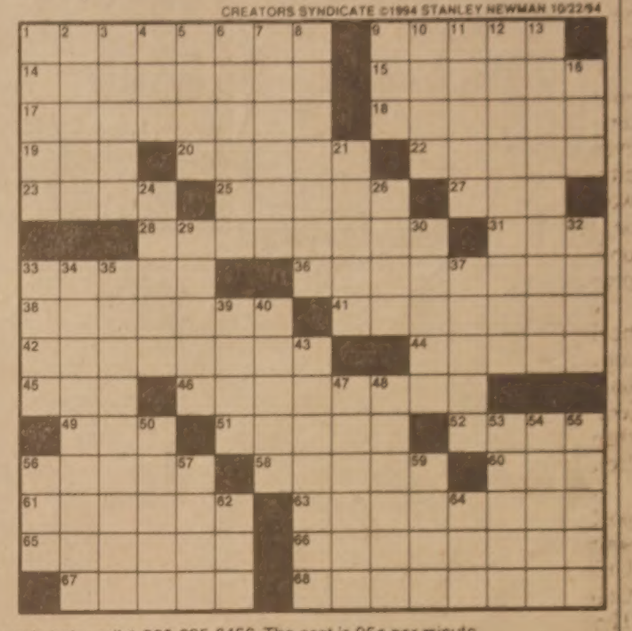

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**Solution to previous puzzle**

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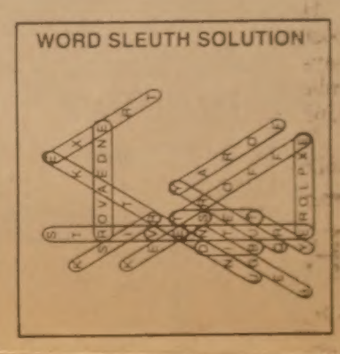
**BIZARRO** DAN PIRARO




## WORD SLEUTH • GIVE IT A TRY

J T Q N S J G C Z E W T Q N J
G D K A T X U R K O X L J G D
A X V S R O V A E D N E S P N
K I K F I C T A X V S Q R O L
J H E E V R C A X V T R P T N
L J H F E T D Y B Y X V T P R
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B P O Y E R O L P X E N L A K

Friday's unlisted clue: PAWN

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.
Saturday's unlisted clue hint: TO MAKE AN EFFORT

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| Begin | Exert | Risk | Try |
| Bid | Explore | Seek | Undertake |
| Effort | Foray | Strive | Venture |
| Endeavor | Query | Test | |

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## JUMBLE

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by Henri Arnold and Mike Argirion

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

SNOBI

USIGE

MILIES

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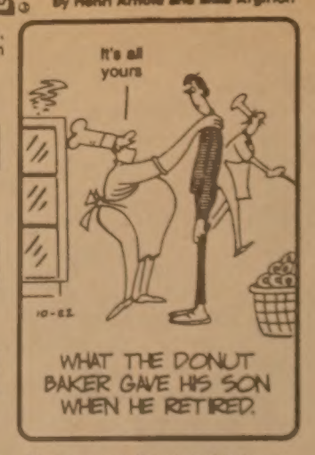



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Answer: THE _____ _____

(Answers Monday)

Yesterday's Jumbles: HAVOC ELDER ARTERY HUMBLE
Answer: The kind of life some snakes lead — CHARMED

**MARMADUKE** Brad Anderson

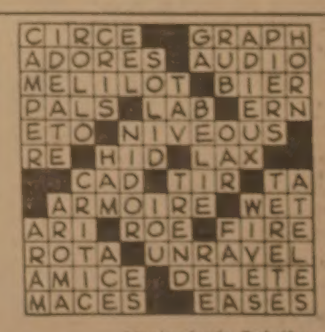
"Stop fussing. Dog food is the first thing on my shopping list."

**NANCY** JERRY SCOTT

## AP Crossword

**ACROSS**
1. Convention
5. Fashionable resort
8. Heavenly lion
11. Nimbus
12. Work steadily
13. Charged atom
14. Power
15. "__ auf Naxos" (Strauss)
17. Inscription
19. Frost
20. Suppose
24. French friend
26. Turmeric
28. Feeling
29. Tender
31. Insecticide
33. Artistic genre
34. Robes
36. Apiece
38. Bell's invention
42. Short-term
45. Russian inland sea
46. Sapin
47. Victory sign
48. Gamble
49. Scout
50. Consummation
51. Uses a shuttle

**DOWN**
1. Donohue
2. Swiss river
3. Apparel
4. Lone Ranger's companion
5. Boxed
6. Sprite
7. Maturing
8. Cover
9. Eternity
10. Person
16. Water, in Oaxaca
18. Attention
21. Bliss
22. No seats
23. Trench
24. Astern
25. Low
27. Revoked a legacy
30. Deadline
32. Spigot
35. Profit
37. Tabulation
39. Claim on property
40. American cartoonist
41. Moose
42. Provisions
43. Frost
44. Attempt



**Yesterday's Solution**

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| M | E | L | I | L | O | T | | B | I | E | R | | | |
| P | A | L | S | | L | A | B | | E | R | N | | | |
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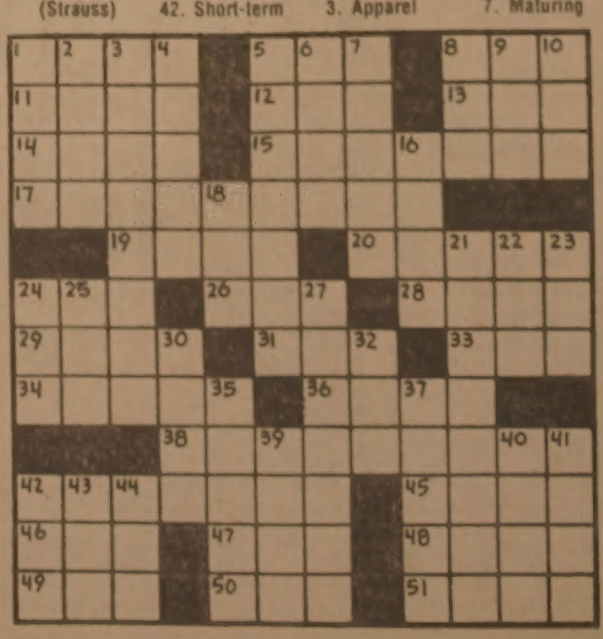

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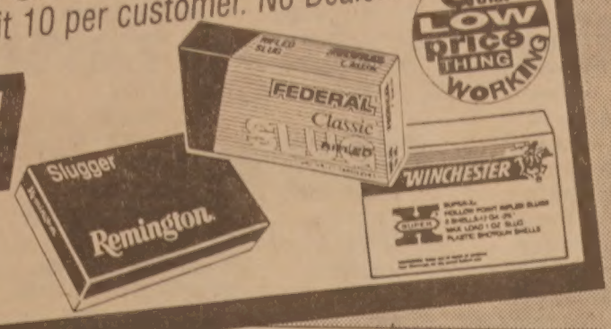


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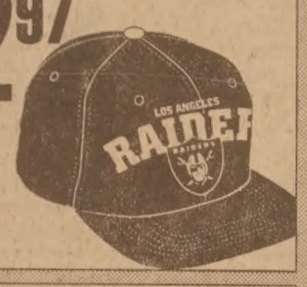


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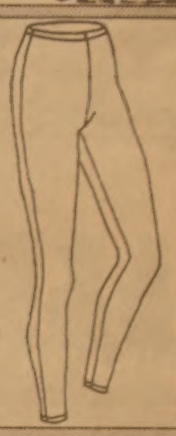

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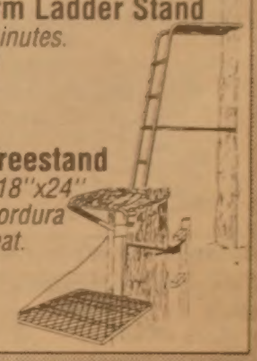

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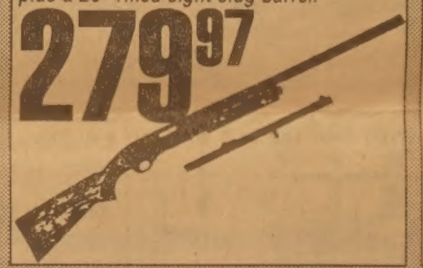

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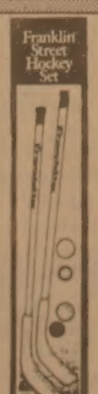


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